



Neighborhood Watch Block Captain Training

When: August 28th, Saturday 9:00-11:00 Am

Location: Crenshaw Athletic Club Cottage (Located in the small house next to Crenshaws)

Neighborhood watch is all about keeping an eye on each other, opening communication on your block, and hardening the target for criminals. Constant recruiting of block captains is necessary to make a NWP effective.

1-Recruit Block Captains: (1 every 10th house) Circulate emails using a distribution list of area residents, go door to door, advertise on yahoo group and list serve, National Night Out party and neighborhood functions.

2-Decide what house each block captain will cover.

3-Have quarterly NW meetings: Share safety tips, encourage people to share concerns and discuss ways to recruit more block captains.

4-Collect everyone's contact info and create an email group for each block that you can share with those who want to be involved. Create a map of the street if you like.

5-Watch out for suspicious activity, call 911 when needed, and inform residents of anything pertinent.

6-Join the list serve if you are not already on it. To subscribe to the HPWBANA list serve send an email to the official address:

7-Become a member of the NA. There is a membership form on every newsletter.

8-Register for National Night out which will be October 5,2010. Either host the party yourself or encourage someone else on your block to.

Thanks so much- please call or email me and let me know if you plan to attend this training class. Contact: Tonianne Soster at tasconstruction@austin.rr.com or 825-3773.